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Message

Re: **United States Patent Application No. 10/693,961**
Our Ref. 2993-409US SC/sm

Please see attached Amendment Transmittal Letter and Amendment with a
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Attorney's Docket No. 2993-409US SC/sin
Serial No. 10/693,961	Filing Date October 28, 2003	Examiner Christopher M. VERDIER	Group Art Unit 3745
INVENTION Improved Leakage Control in a Gas Turbine Engine			

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

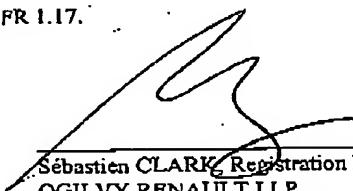
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

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Application No.: 10/693,961 Confirmation No.: 4574
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 13, 2006.

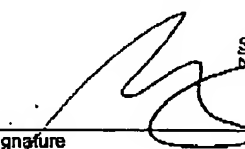
Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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